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## Local and General.

Bain wagons are best for Alberta!

A. M. Erskine of Hardisty, was in town this week on business.

A big rush on for cheap photos at Fletcher's studio, near Royal Hotel.

On account of wet weather the race meeting at Olds was postponed till June 6th.

For that tight cough try Dr. Thomas's Balsam of Spruce and Tar, at Medical Hall.

Alberta mower for Alberta Farmers sold exclusively by Massey-Harris Agents.

The Lacombe Brass Band has been engaged for the Bentley celebration on July 1st.

The nicest work done by any two furrow plow is that of Massey-Harris Imperial.

Young Pigs Wanted.—Six of Yorkshire or other breed. Apply P. O. Box 147, Lacombe.

Didsbury town council has a bylaw to bonus ratepayers who plant trees along their premises.

Farmers using Massey-Harris Separators are guaranteed not to lose one lb of butter fat per cow in six years.

Danish and International stock food are hard runners for first place. We carry both in stock.—Medical Hall.

Aunger & Shute now have their dental parlors established upstairs in the Pearden Block, just over their old location.

Everybody says the Massey-Harris binder with floating elevators is best for heavy crops.

Wanted—By young lady, position as book-keeper. Holds Diploma from Alberta College. Address, P. O. Box 127, Lacombe.

Girl wants a place to assist in house work. Anyone having a place for such a girl can obtain information at The Advertiser office.

The Daysland Press is the latest addition to Alberta's list of weekly newspapers. It is a neatly gotten up, well printed and newsy eight page paper.

Purity, strength, and quality, combined with the right price, makes our drug and stationery store so popular. Don't forget the circulating library.—Medical Hall.

For Sale—A complete cream separator and tread power, pulleys and belts to drive; a perfect rig as good as new for half its worth. Enquire at Murphy Bros. Alberta Livery, Lacombe.

Services will be held as usual in the Methodist church the coming Sunday. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Strangers and newcomers are especially invited.

Mrs. A. Carter of Morningside left for Banff and other western points on the noon train Saturday where she will visit her daughter's Mrs. Ed Ellis of the National Park and Mrs. J. Chapman of Revelstoke.

Seasonable weather has prevailed this week and crops are coming on in a very satisfactory way. We have heard a number of farmers state that their grain is now as far advanced as it was at this time last year.

A large number of horsemen have asked for stabling for their horses in Lacombe on June 20 and 21, the dates of the big race meeting, and it is apparent that a big lot of the best horses in the country will enter for the races.

The management of the Lacombe race meeting have secured reduced railway rates for the dates of the meeting, June 20 and 21, fare and a third for the round trip. Arrangements have also been made to hold the Stettler train till 8 p. m., which will make it convenient for people living along the east line.

The Lacombe sporting fraternity have found a long distance runner whom they say is developing surprising speed on a half mile run. Those who know claim that he can show a record breaking gait and they are willing to back him for a large sum against the famous Longboat. In fact they say his style of running is very similar to Longboat's. They had intended to keep the matter quiet and hold him for a "dark horse", but outsiders got wind of it so that is all off.

### Marriage.

At the residence of the bride's parents, Lacombe, on Wednesday afternoon, June 5th, occurred the marriage of William J. Burris to Miss Mae June Shilleto, two of Lacombe's best known and most popular young people.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. White in the presence of a large gathering of invited friends.

Shortly after the luncheon was served the newly wedded couple endeavored to outwit the guests and thus escape the usual farewell with rice accompaniment by slipping off to Blackfalds by carriage to take the train for Banff on their wedding trip. But the young people hadn't laid in that large stock of rice for nothing, so about half a hundred of them boarded the south bound train, after having made large additional purchases of rice, and caught the runaways just as they were endeavoring to board the Pullman at Blackfalds.

There is a rice famine in Lacombe now, but all the merchants have wired for a fresh supply.

Mr. and Mrs. Burris will reside in Stettler, where Mr. Burris recently opened up in the implement business in partnership with W. Mackie, also formerly of Lacombe.

This young couple have the very best wishes of a host of freinds.

### Big Trial Has Begun.

Boise, Idaho, June 3.—Twelve men to try William D. Haywood on the charge that he murdered ex-Governor Steunenberg have been chosen and sworn.

Haywood today heard the indictment accusing him of the crime, and tomorrow, after the State has recited its case, and made promise of proof, the first chapter of the legal account of the crime of Caldwell, December 30, 1905, will be told.

Tomorrow morning James H. Hawley will address the court with the State's opening statement. He said today that he would be brief.

The State will charge that Haywood conspiring with Moyer, Pettibone, Simpkins and others of the alleged "inner circle" of the Western Federation of Miners, plotted a campaign of terrorism which had the double purpose of the removal by assassination of those opposed to the organization and increase of power within the organization and increase of power within the organization.

The prosecution will allege that the explosion at the Vindicator mine, the blowing up of the Independence depot, the murder of Light Gregory, a detective of Denver, the murder of Arthur Collins of Telluride, the alleged blowing up of Fred Bradley of San Francisco, and the alleged attempts on the lives of ex-Governor Peabody and Judges Gabbert and Goddard of Colorado, were all acts in a single great conspiracy to which the murder of Governor Steunenberg was incidental.

It will be charged that Haywood was the genius of, and the strength behind the great plot, and that Steunenberg as added to the list because of his part during the labor troubles in North Idaho.

It will be alleged that Haywood and his associates, standing and working in the background, planned the long list of crimes and sent Harry Orchard and Steve Adams forth as hired executioners.

### A Big Conservative Majority.

Toronto, June 3.—Election to provincial legislature in West York Saturday resulted in the return of Dr. Forbes Godfrey by a big majority.

### Wiggins' Moons Caused All the Trouble.

Ottawa, June 3.—Professor Wiggins, the well known Canadian astronomer, attributes the prevalent cold weather to the influence of a second moon in the heavens, whose existence he discovered a quarter of a century ago, and which is now at the point of its orbit nearest the earth and producing phenomena in the earth's atmosphere.

"Isn't our climate growing colder?" the professor was asked.

"No, he replied. "The earth is slowly receding from the sun and temperature is therefore rising."

Professor Wiggins' theory is that no heat or light passes from the sun to the earth or to any other planet, but on the contrary if all planets were moved ten million miles nearer the sun the thermometer would fall on every one of them several degrees. The earth, he says, is slowly receding from the sun and the temperature is rising. In the future astronomers on Mars and Jupiter will look through telescopes and say the snowcaps have disappeared from the earth's poles. In the days of Ceasar, Southern France and Italy were covered with snow. Every man and animal going into the Northwest is a stove to raise the temperature. In time oranges will grow in Canada, declares Professor Wiggins.

### NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the [illegible] Railway Company has, on the ninth day of May 1907, deposit in the Calgary Land Titles Office, in accordance with the provisions of the Railway Act, plan, profile and book of reference as No. "Ry. 73" shewing the proposed location of a Branch line from Moosejaw Northwesterly, from a point on Section 24, Township 33, Range 1, West 4th Meridian, to a point on Section 36, Township 34, Range 4, West 4th Meridian in the Province of Alberta.

Dated at Winnipeg this 15th day of May A. D. 1907.

P. McPHERSON.
Asst. Right of Way & Lease Agent.


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Never Before
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Don't think for a moment
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are a necessity in every household; why not get the best, especially when it costs you no more?

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we carry the best and have just received some more of those Northern Spy apples, which are No. 1 quality.

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Phone 65. Highest price paid for butter and eggs

Lacombe Meat Market

Choice beef, pork, sausages and fish.
Telephone orders will receive careful attention.

A. A. Woodle,

Next to Royal Hotel Lacombe

A New Lot of Millinery

JUST IN!

New Sailors and Duck Hats for children, pretty Trimmed Hats for girls, also a large assortment of Trimmed Hats for children.

MRS. G. G. MOBLEY

Nanton Street. - - LACOMBE

# Hanway's Punishment

By JOHN J. O'CONNOR.

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It was October when Tim came to school. The family had been visiting relatives in the west, and he had rejoiced in the prolonged vacation. It seemed rather hard to have to go back to school, and it was with laggard feet that he headed, with the tender mind of the scholars, toward the little frame building where the tender mind of district No. 4 was trained.

"The new teacher's soft," volunteered Tommy English. "The other day Bill Hendricks brought a bean blower and shot the teacher in the back, and all she said was, 'Please don't.' I guess there's going to be fun."

Tim smiled weakly. It was encouraging to know that he could practice his devilments without the risk of a thrashing. The last teacher had been a man, and Tim had had good reason to remember him, for of the younger boys Tim was the ringleader, just as Hendricks was the leader of the older boys. That Bill had eventually thrashed the teacher and forced him to resign just before the end of the spring term was no great consolation to Tim.

The trustees had put in a woman teacher as an experiment, thinking that perhaps feminine appeal might be more potent than the hickory switch. Tim rather expected a gaunt old lady, as a certain Miss Flint had been, and when he made his appearance in the schoolroom and presented himself before the teacher he was shocked to find so young a woman.

Marion Murtha was only nineteen, and her fresh coloring and the liquid brown eyes made so deep an impression on him that for the first ten days he was one of the model scholars, and Miss Murtha was beginning to congratulate herself that the boy against whom everybody had warned her was not so bad after all.

In vain his fellows looked for some outbreak, and finally Tommy English twitted him on his susceptibility.

"He wants to marry her when he grows up," he jeered. "He'll be bringing her apples an' candy next. The ain't afraid; he's just soft, that's all."

The gibe struck home, for Tim had a big apple in his desk that he was thinking of giving Miss Murtha if he did not feel tempted to eat it himself during the noon hour.

"I ain't a-skeered of her," he said contemptuously. "I was just waitin' till I could think somethin' up."

"Yah," jeered Tommy. "I didn't say you was a-skeered. I said you was stuck on the teacher."

The iron entered Tim's soul, and, with a dark "You wait and see," he raced off to the well.

He came stamping in when the bell rang and went to his desk with a swagger that was quite like his old time bearing. The desk next him was empty, and with infinite care he twisted two bits of slate pencil into a rubber band and dropped them into the other desk. The unwinding band rattled the pencils around in the empty box with a crash that stopped the Fourth Reader class and directed the eyes of the whole school on him. Tim tried to look unconcerned, but he could not refrain from casting a glance of triumph at Tommy English, and thereby lay his undoing, for the teacher's eyes were quick and her intuition keen.

"Tim," she said sharply. "You will stay in after school tonight."

"I ain't done nothin'," he declared stoutly.

"I did not say that you had," she said quietly. "I said that I wished you to remain after school this evening."

"Aw," cried Tim, "that ain't fair!"

She said nothing, but went on quietly with the class work. Tim had expected her to answer, that he might talk back again. He could not understand this quiet ignoring of the matter and sat silent and uncertain.

During the noon hour Tommy English sought to persuade him into defying the teacher, but when 4 o'clock came and he made as though to go out with the others a firm hand was laid upon his shoulder, and Miss Murtha's quiet voice reminded him that he was to stay in.

To stay after school meant to spend a certain time in study. Tim scuffled back to his desk and sat there swinging his feet idly. He was determined that he would not study and wondered vaguely if the teacher would try to thrash him for his disobedience.

Presently the others were gone, and Miss Murtha went back to her desk. Another scholar had been kept in to rewrite the spelling lesson, and Miss Murtha waited quietly until the task was done. At last they two were alone, and she called to him. Not once had she noticed him before, and Tim went forward wonderingly.

"They told me that you were a bad boy," she said, "but I did not think that you would act so toward a woman."

"What's the difference?" he demanded. "You get paid to teach us, don't you, just like a man?"

Gently she explained that she had been hired to teach the school, but that she could not remain if she could not handle the pupils. If he and some of the other boys persisted in being disobedient, she would have to give up the school and they would have deprived her of a chance to earn a living. When she had finished, Tim looked up.

"Say," he said penitently, "I'll let you lick me if you want to. I won't fight back."

"I don't want to whip you," she said as she stooped and kissed him. "I want you to be a good boy; that's all."

Tommy English was waiting for him as the subdued Tim went out. "Did she lick you?" he demanded eagerly. "I didn't hear you holler."

With a howl Tim sprang at him and thrashed him as a relief for his overwrought feminine appeal might be more potent than the hickory switch. Tim rather expected a gaunt old lady, as a certain Miss Flint had been, and when he made his appearance in the schoolroom and presented himself before the teacher he was shocked to find so young a woman.

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The starch that needn't be cooked, that won't stick, that gives a brilliant gloss with almost no iron-effort, isn't that the starch you ought to have them use on your clothes? Buy it by name, your dealer sells it.

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### Big Elk Horn

Jumbo, the big bull elk of former Congressman Alexander Billmeyer's game preserve at Washington, Montour county, shed his horns on Wednesday. They are the largest that have ever been secured at the Billmeyer preserve, one side measuring fifty-nine inches and the other fifty-eight inches. Measuring the entire length, including all of the prongs, there is twenty-nine feet and nine inches of horn. They weighed twenty-seven pounds. Mr. Billmeyer now has in his preserve seventy-five deer and eighteen elk, besides large quantities of smaller game. This is accounted the largest game preserve in the state.—Philadelphia Record.


"A Grand Medicine" is the encomium often passed on Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, and when the results from its use are considered, as borne out by many persons who have employed it in stopping coughs and eradicating colds, it is more than grand. Kept in the house it is always at hand and it has no equal as a ready remedy. If you have not tried it, do so at once.


### An Embarrassed Queen

Princess de Montglyon, of Paris, who has come to America to exhibit her beautiful and famous collies at several kennel shows, said at a dinner in New York apropos of an embarrassment:—"That reminds me of a story they have been telling lately about Queen Alexandra of England. The Guards' band was playing on the terrace at Windsor Castle during luncheon, and the queen was so pleased with a lively march that she sent a maid of honor to enquire what it was. The maid of honor blushed deeply as she answered on her return:—'Come Where the Booze is Cheaper,' your Majesty."—Kansas City Star.


**Preoccupied**

First Horse (attached to lovers' sleigh)—Let's run away, Dobbin.

Second Horse—What's the use? They wouldn't notice it.—Chicago News.

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Ask your doctor about these throat coughs. He will tell you how deceptive they are. A tickling in the throat often means serious trouble ahead. Better explain your case carefully to your doctor, and ask him about your taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

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**Croup** That dread of mothers loses its terrors when the medicine cabinet contains a bottle of that famous old remedy,

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The haphazard use of a remedy will never discover its efficacy. Try Beecham's Pills morning and night, and note the improvement in your health.

The Last Thing at Night **BEECHAM'S PILLS**

Sold Everywhere. In boxes 25 cents.


### As to Imagination.

Let little children note their files;
'Twill teach them to create.
Then they'll be able liars when
They grow to manly estate.
And when they take a fishing trip
Far from the madding crowd
They'll have a catch to tell about
Of which they will be proud.

And when they journey to the shore
To watch the great ships sail
They'll find sea serpents everywhere,
Though other eyes should fail.
When some one starts to tell about
A wealth producing mine
They'll always have a bigger one
Just o'er the county line.

Some man may have a speedy nag
That in 2:10 can trot;
They'll always have a faster one
Out in the pasture lot.
Their salaries with figures large
A stranger will impress,
Although the money that they draw
Will be a good deal less.

The bets they win, the men they lick,
The girls they captivate,
Would fill a volume three feet thick,
To state them all it straight.
In short, when any one relates
Adventures, ready made
They have some bigger ones to throw
All others in the shade.

Oh, teach the child to fabricate
When he is young and quick,
For when he grows to be a man
His mind can use the trick.
And he can use the gentle art
In trade and trafficking.
Should he go into politics,
'Twill be the true thing.


### HELPING MOTHERS

"I always tell my neighbors who have children how good I have found Baby's Own Tablets," says Mrs. L. Reville, Gawas, Ont. Mrs. Reville further says: "I would not be without the Tablets in the house, for I know of no medicine that can equal them in curing the ills from which children so often suffer." It is the enthusiastic praise of mothers who have used the Tablets that makes them the most popular childhood medicine in Canada. Any mother using Baby's Own Tablets has the guarantee of a government analyst that this medicine does not contain one particle of opiate or harmful drug. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.


### Like a Mosquito.

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Patience—Well, she does. She goes right on singing, whether people talk or not.—Yonkers Statesman.


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"I waited fifteen minutes on the corner for a car this morning," said the landlady as she poured the tea, "and when one finally came along the motorman wouldn't stop for me."

"Had he ever boarded here?" asked the man at the pedal extremity of the mahogany.

"Not that I know of," replied the landlady. "Why do you ask?"

"Oh," replied the other as he continued to saw at his steak, "I thought perhaps he recognized you and didn't want you to board his car."—Chicago News.

### In the Arctic Region.

"What's that thing yonder which looks like a barber's pole?" said the arctic explorer.

"That," said the scientist of the expedition, "is only a frozen rainbow."

"Alas," exclaimed the chief explorer, "I took it for the north pole and was about to suggest that we tie the flag to it and go home!"

"You forget," said the scientist, "that we ate the flag for dinner yesterday!"—Atlanta Constitution.


Holloway's Corn Cure is the medicine to remove all kinds of corns and warts, and only costs the small sum of twenty five cents.


### Best of Proof.

Diggs—Your friend Bright has an idea that he knows a whole lot.

Biggs—Oh, I don't know. He is always lamenting the fact that he knows so little.

Diggs—Well, that proves my statement.—Chicago News.


There is nothing equal to Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator for destroying worms. No article of its kind has given such satisfaction.


### A Warm One.

Eskimo Sultan—Yes, my love, I have ten sleds, fifty dogs, a hundred tons of blubber, and—

Fa Eskimo—Aurore, tell that young man to stop letting off so much hot air. I'm afraid he'll melt the house.—Puck.

### As to Breakdowns.

She—Would you rather walk or ride there?

He—Well, I've been out in the motor car so much lately that I think I'd rather ride for a change.—Puck.

### Logical Deduction.

Her—I wonder why it is that's big man usually has a little wife?

Him—I don't know, unless it's because a little woman usually has a big husband.—Detroit Tribune.


**Dear Mother**

Your little ones are a constant care in Fall and Winter. They will catch cold. Do you know about Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, and what it has done for so many? It is said by it to be quite reliable for all diseases of the air passages in children. It is absolutely harmless and pleasant to take. It is guaranteed to cure or your money is returned. The price is 25c. per bottle, and all dealers in medicine sell it.

**SHILOH**

This remedy should be in every household.


### Not Answered.

"I want to know," said the attorney for the plaintiff, who was cross examining the witness, "just what the defendant said when my client told him he was a bigamist and that the facts had been found out."

"He didn't say anything," answered the witness.

"Well, what did he do?"

"He acted kind o' hasty."

"I want to know exactly how he acted."

"Want me to show you?"

"Yes."

The witness suddenly reached over, grabbed the attorney by the hair, threw him down on the door and proceeded to hammer him.

"This is the way he acted," he said, "till the other fellows interfered. Some of you chaps pull me off, will you?"

It was tough on the lawyer, but it won the case for him.—Chicago Tribune.


Sleeplessness—when the nerves are unstrung and the whole body given up to wretchedness, when the mind is filled with gloom and dismal forebodings, the result of derangement of the digestive organs, sleeplessness comes to add to the distress. If only the subject could sleep there would be oblivion for a while and temporary relief. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will not only induce sleep, but will act so beneficially that the subject will wake refreshed and restored to happiness.

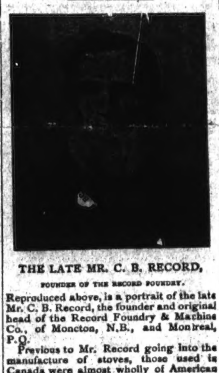

### Horrible Suspicion.

Marjorie—Well, and what does Aunt Jane think of her photo?

Reggie—Eh? Oh, she's jolly wild about it.

Marjorie—Why? Doesn't she think it's like her?

Reggie—Well, I think she's afraid it is.—Ally Sloper.



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Get five yards and in pale pink, blue or violet, for white soils easily, and black stains the linen. Dresden patterns or brocaded in flowered weave results in a pretty pair if the quality is not too cheap and the design is artistic. Thin ribbon will pull terribly and prove no support.

Be sure to follow the fullness of your old corsets carefully when smoothing and pinning the two other ones.

Attempt one side of the corsets at a time, and when all seems right take them gently off the model and stitch the side bones and steels, trying, if possible, to pass the ribbon between the upper and lower coverings on each side, as it makes a prettier effect. End it all by inserting the four bones in each hip casing, finishing top and bottom by folding and overhanding and making a rosette of ribbon in front and adding silk laces to match.—Philadelphia Press.

### FURNITURE POLISH.

Use It Sparingly, but With Plenty of Elbow Grease.

As a rule, furniture in these days suffers from too much furniture polish rather than too little. The delicate surface for which old pieces are famous, known as "eggshell gloss," was obtained by a minimum of furniture polish and a maximum of elbow grease.

There is an art in applying furniture polish of which only the best trained servants are aware. First carefully remove all dust and dirt, stains, etc., then with a flannel apply a very thin film of furniture cream to the wood. Take a duster in each hand and rub up the wood, the way of the grain, till on touching the surface with your hand it leaves no mark. The reason for the two dusters is that your left hand may not mark the wood as you rest upon it.

For the last polish use a clean old silk handkerchief.

Of course if it has been once neglected wood takes a long time to recover its condition, but once this is attained it takes relatively but little trouble to keep it in good order.

Furniture polish applied too thickly will smear and become a regular dust trap, requiring far more time to keep in condition, even if this is possible, than if cleaned properly at first.

### NURSERY NOTES.

A little girl three years old should have her hair washed every week.

An ill ventilated nursery is a frequent cause of babies being restless and fretful at night.

When bread is given to children under a year and a half old, it should be sliced very thinly, buttered lightly and given in small quantities.

A baby should be kept out of the wind and in the sunshine as much as possible. Protect the eyes from the sun always with a dark umbrella.

Hot water is a good cure for a bumped forehead, and witch hazel or arnica patted on takes the sting out of bruises by the time the child has stopped crying.

Cocoa is the best beverage for children next to plain milk, and often, when they cannot properly digest the latter, cocoa prepared with half milk and half water is invaluable. It is one of the best articles of diet for all except young infants.

### Morbid Women.

When people have trouble, and real trouble, they don't sit down and analyze all their emotions and remember whether this person and that person looked to the right or to the left when they spoke to them. Morbidness should be counted as a wicked demon that can be driven out. Healthy companionship, plenty of laughter, good long walks in the sunshine and work will drive out the wicked little imps—discontent—that make you the happy, healthful, hopeful woman you ought to be. Form a band against self analysis, against the inclination to consider what every inflection of the voice and every look of the eye means, and you will be surprised to discover how much of good there is in the world and how little, comparatively speaking, of that which is really bad.

### Dress Linings.

It is a very poor plan to economize on the linings of dress either in money or the care with which it is made. A cheap little dress made with absolute simplicity frequently looks better than one costing twenty times as much if the slip for the cheap dress has been well made of good silk. The waist and skirt should be fitted with as much care as the other dress, and the skirt must hang perfectly. Many costumes are spoiled by the underskirt hanging in loops and scallops that are noticeable whenever the dress is lifted.

### For Dandruff.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1907


Everything seems to have gone up except the price of lumber. This is a kind of a joke. But the lumber combi—the lymberman's combi—wall the lumber dealers' mutual improvement association and society for the propagation of the gospel among the heathen say that if people don't stop this kind of talk, they will get real sassy and put on a little raise of two bits all round.—Edmonton Journal.

Considerable objection is being made to the new postal arrangements between Canada and the United States. It looks as if newspaper publishers will have to pay one cent a copy on all papers sent to our cousins across the line. This arrangement may suit some Eastern papers, which circulate wholly, or almost wholly, in Canada, and which do no immigration work, but it is a great inconvenience, not to say hardship and injustice on Western publishers, who are sending thousands of "immigration helps" to the United States every week. The postal authorities at Ottawa have "sure made a mess of it this time."—High River Times.

### The Town Cow in Innisfail.

Already the festive cow is parading our streets, casting longing eyes through the fences surrounding gardens where the green stuff is beginning to sprout. Already the new sidewalks are being bespattered and befouled by the wandering horses, cows, etc. And already is freshly-sown seed in town gardens being scratched up and the gardens ruined by the "almighty" hen, the inquisitive cat and the vagrant dog. Will the town council allow these animals to roam our streets all summer, as they did last year, in defiance of the law, or at the sweet will and pleasure of the owners of "cattle", or will they act like men and enforce the law? The latter course would be the most sensible, but we would suggest as an alternative that the "pound bylaw" be absolutely repealed, and a new bylaw passed compelling owners of cattle of any kind to pasture their animals in the yards or gardens of our Town Daddies, or on the sidewalk in front of their residences.—Innisfail Province.

### The Prairie Fire Scourge.

In spite of the fact that year after year prairie fires do incalculable damage all over the country, absolute apathy appears to prevail so far as attempts to bring offenders to account are concerned. It is the special province of the North West Mounted Police to buy themselves in such cases, yet infringements of the game ordinance, the prairie fire ordinance and pretty nearly any other ordinance one may chance to mention occur almost daily under the noses of members of the force, and instances of punishment are so rare that when one is reported every newspaper in the country prints the details in full.

The prairie surrounding Vermilion has been burned all over for the past two springs. A mounted police constable has been stationed here all the time, yet no one had ever heard of anyone being summoned, despite the fact that serious loss has been caused to settlers in numerous instances through the destruction of buildings and stacks. The latest instance was on Sunday last, when the house of F. Magraw, northwest of town, together with its contents consisting of furniture, tools, etc., representing the savings of two years, was totally destroyed.

The present season has been a particularly bad one in which to allow prairie fire to run, for a special reason. The winter was long and the snow slow in going. Settlers owning cattle were in many cases entirely out of feed and waiting with the best patience they could summon for the appearance of the grass beneath the snow. The cattle were hardly more than turned out to pick a living when the country was swept as clean as a board by fires and the feed totally destroyed, a great hardship to those people and the stock.

At Lloydminster, Battleford, Paynton and at many other points those responsible for prairie fires have been brought before local justices of the peace and if the carelessness or willfulness of one or two local offenders was made expensive by the imposition of a stiff penalty, it might have a good effect. So long as the present indifference prevails, we cannot look for much improvement and the settlers will continue to suffer.—Vermilion Signal.

### Cut Worms in the Fields and Gardens.

Bearing in mind the enormous damage that was done by cutworms last spring, it will pay the farmer and garden owner to have a look to their crops as early as possible after they are sown and at any rate just as soon as the small plants begin to appear. The parent moths or millers were not very numerous last fall so that probably the cut worms will not be nearly so plentiful this spring as they were last, but from reports and from what has already been seen in the fields and gardens there is still risk of a good deal of damage from the depredations of these creatures this year.

These pests are very easily destroyed and the remedy consits in applying a mixture of bran and paris green to the surface of the ground in which the cutworms are harboring. The creatures come out to the surface to feed at night and bran seems to be in great favor with them as a food, and when there is a judicious mixture of paris green along with it they usually are quite satisfied with one meal. The mixture should be in the proportions of one pound of paris green to 50 pounds of bran, although some authorities prescribe double the quantity of bran to the same amount of paris green. The bran should be mixed with sweetened water till it is crumbly, not sloppy, and the paris green dusted on to it and thoroughly mixed. It may be applied with a piece of shingle or even the bare hand if only a small quantity is to be used. Many farmers found this treatment very effectual last year and indeed it is now recognized as the standard remedy all over the country wherever cutworms become a pest.

To prevent disappointment in the cabbage patch every plant should be protected by a screen of paper twisted on the stalk just above the roots and loosely enfolding the leaves. This forms an effectual barrier to the cutworm, is easily applied, and does not interfere with the growth of the cabbage.

### Edmonton Has Bylaws.

The bylaws of the city of Edmonton, which have been piling up for the last fifteen years are to be consolidated. In the language of the man on the street their present condition is something fierce. There are one hundred and fifteen of them to date and it takes both Commissioner Kinnaird and City Solicitor Beck combined to know what is in them. Nobody else has any idea. When the labor of love of these gentlemen and Police Magistrate Cowan is ended and some kind of order is created out of the present state of chaos, it would be a good plan to make a selection of such matters as chiefly affect our ratepayers, householders and business men and publish an intelligible digest of the bylaws relating thereto in a neat and portable form. There might be an edition de luxe issued, embellished with portraits of commissioners past or present, which would likely find a ready sale among connoisseurs. However, that is a matter for future consideration.—Edmonton Journal.

### Of Interest to Stallion Owners.

While on patrol duty recently Constable Ashe found that Mr. Tonberg, of Seven Persons, was standing a stallion for gain in his stables without having a certificate of enrollment issued by the Department of Agriculture, posted on the inside and outside of his stable door, as required by the Ordinance. Mr. Tonberg pleaded guilty to the charge when brought before Inspector Parker, of Medicine Hat, on May 28th last, and was fined $2.00 and costs.

As the object of the Horse Breeders' Ordinance is to improve the horse industry of the Province steps will be taken to see that its provisions are carried out. Stallion owners having failed to comply with the Ordinance by not having their horses enrolled, or neglected to post copies of the certificate of enrollment on the stable door, would do well to take warning from the above.

### Weed Seeds in Feed and Seed.

In the new Noxious Weeds Act which was passed at the recent session of the Legislature of Alberta, there are two clauses which should be of special interest to farmers, seedsmen, millers and dealers in chopped feed and bran throughout the Province. These are:

"13. No person shall sell or dispose of, or offer for sale or disposal, or have in his possession for sale, any grain, grass, clover or other seeds intended for the purpose of seed, in which there is more than five seeds of any noxious weed or weeds per thousand of such seed.

14. No person shall purchase or sell, barter or otherwise dispose of or remove from any premises, any bran, shorts, chopped or crushed grain or cleanings containing seeds of noxious weeds unless the germinating qualities of such seeds have been destroyed."

Any one stopping to think of the acres upon acres of good land which have been rendered foul in the first crop, either from weed seeds being introduced in the seed or the feed, will recognize the importance of having these clauses strictly enforced, and it is to be hoped that dealers will be careful to furnish none but clean seed or feed both in their own interest and that of the farmers throughout the Province.


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All debts due to the said partnership are to be paid to G. H. McFetridge at his office Nanton street and all partnership debts to be paid by him.

G. H. McFETRIDGE,
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Lacombe, April 30, 1907.

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Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of the North West Irrigation Act, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has filed the Memorials and Plans required by the said Act with the Commissioner Irrigation at Calgary.

The applicant applies for the right to divert one-fifth of one cubic foot of water per second from outlet from lake on the northeast quarter of Section thirty-five (35) Township thirty-nine (39) Range twenty-three(23) West of the Fourth (4th) Meridian, for other purposes, as shown by the Plans and Memorials filed, to enable the water so diverted to be used for the said other purposes on the following lands, viz:—The right of way of the Company, and in their tanks, engines, care and buildings, the following lands outside the Company's property being affected by proposed works:—Northeast quarter of Section thirty-five, Township thirty-nine, Range twenty-three, west of the Fourth Meridian.

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### Put Rat Poison in the Pancakes.

Montreal, May 24.—Victoria Day brought death to the home of Wilbert Parent, who lived on St. Elizabeth street, under extraordinary circumstances. The old gentleman on the night previously mixed up a quantity of flour for pancakes and as his wife was out visiting he rummaged around for the baking powder. He put into the dough a teaspoonful of what he took to be baking powder but which in reality was Rough on Rats. It was then about 6 p. m. Thursday and the father with four small children sat down to tea. One of the children noticing the pancakes were hard asked her father if he had put in some baking powder and as he believed he had done so further thought was given the matter. Shortly afterwards the children began to feel sick and soon all were vomiting violently. When Mrs. Parent returned she found the whole family deadly ill. A doctor was sent for and he saw at once that Mr. Parent who had eaten heartily of the pancakes, had little chance to recover. Emetics were administered but the old man, who was 70, steadily sank and died at 4 a. m. The poison has been in the Parent household for three years and Mrs. Parent hid it away on the top shelf where she thought it would be out of harm's way.

I will mail you free, to prove merit, samples of my Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and my book on either Dyspepsia, the Heart or the Kidneys. Troubles of the stomach, heart or kidneys, are merely symptoms of a deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the RESULT of your ailment, and not the CAUSE. Weak stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean stomach weakness, always. And the heart, and kidneys as well, have their controlling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves, and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's Restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the "inside nerves". Also for blasting, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Write me to-day for sample and free book. Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Restorative is sold by Lacombe Drug Co.

### Will Carve Nebraska Boy to Make Him Good.

Omaha, Neb., May 31.—Eight year old Davy Markoits, the boy who simply cannot be good, is to have a surgeon's knife inserted into his head to take the badness out of him. This will be the first time the Omaha juvenile court has ordered a surgical operation to cure the disease of delinquency. Davy has been before the court a number of times and has been forgiven on his promise to be good. When it came to keeping the promise, however, Davy always failed. Then physicians discovered that adenoid growths were pressing upward from the neck and back of the nose, and pushing against the brain, constricting its growth. The removal of these is not a dangerous operation, and it is believed, will remove the cause of the boy's wickedness.

### Does Your Heart Flutter?

You know heart fluttering means you're not as well as you should be. It's an evidence of impaired nerve and muscular power. To obtain cure, try Ferrozone; it has a special action on the heart seen in the case of Thos. Grover of Cole Harbor, N. S., who says: "If I exerted myself it would bring palpitation. To carry any heavy weight or go quickly up stairs completely knocked me out. When bad attaks came on I lived in fear of sudden death. Ferrozone gave my heart the very assistance it needed, and now I am quite well." For heart or nerves it's hard to excel Ferrozone, 50c per box at all dealers.

### Some Weather in Texas.

Houston, Texas, May 30.—A series of storms, accompanied by cloudbursts swept over this vicinity last night and continued until today. The country for miles is covered with water. Railroad traffic is almost suspended and street railways are greatly hampered. Many houses have been wrecked or washed away by Buffalo Bay, which has passed all high water records and is still rising. Much damage has been done.

Free, for Catarrh, just to prove merit, a trial size box of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Let me send it now. It is a snow-white, creamy, healing, antiseptic balm. Containing such healing ingredients as Oil Eucalyptus, Thymol, Menthol, etc., it gives instant and lasting relief to Catarrh of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50 cents. Sold by Lacombe Drug Co.

### Killed by Scissors.

Duck Lake, Sask., May 28.—It is reported this week that the four-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percevault, of Parkside, met her death on Saturday last. The child was playing with a pair of scissors and had them in her mouth. While running she fell, the points of the scissors piercing her throat. Everything possible was done for the sufferer, but despite all efforts she died to death.

### Bold Burglar in Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, May 30.—Joseph Storry, farmer residing near Mohary Siding returning home unexpectedly after breakfast, found a burglar in possession of household goods packed up ready for removal. Theif said: "I suppose I'm in for it." To which Storry replied "I guess you are in for it." "Then you're in for it too," rejoined the burglar, seizing his rifle and shooting Storry through the throat he then fired three shots, none of which took affect except the first. Storry is alive and the police constable Diamond is in pursuit of the criminal. The victim is a brother of Chris Storry, foreman C. N. R., and nephew of Councillor Joe Storry.

### Doctors Change Their Methods.

Years ago they fought catarrh by internal dosing. They saw this ruined the stomach and changed to the ozonated air cure, better known as "Catarrhozone". This treatment is sure to cure. It goes to the source of the disease; it destroys the causes that maintain catarrh and even in the worst cases permanent cure is guaranteed. Failure with Catarrhozone is impossible. Antiseptic, healing and far-reaching, it's bound to cure every time. Endorsed by more than twenty-thousand physicians in America alone and sold in 25c and $1.00 sizes by all dealers.

### Illinois Murder and Suicide.

Springfield, Ill., May 30.—Carrie Lederbrand, seven years old, and her sister Cora, seventeen years old, daughters of Joseph Lederbrand, a farmer, were found dead in Sugar Creek last night by the girl's father. The girls left home early in the afternoon. The father became alarmed at their absence, and went to search for them with the neighbors. Dr. Duncan found that each girl had a bullet hole in the right temple. It is now believed that Cora shot her invalid sister Carrie and then killed herself. She had often complained that she had been unable to associate with other girls because she had to care for Carrie.

### Why Chest Colds are Dangerous.

They lead to pleurisy and pneumonia. Follow the advice of W. H. Powles of Powles' Corners, Ont., who says: "I used to be subject to attacks and although I used most everything nothing relieved quickly till I discovered Nerviline. I have used it for pleurisy and sore chest and found it just the proper thing. For Lumbago or Neuralgia it's quick as lighting. I cheerfully recommend Nerviline." Strongest, cleanest, most pain destroying liniment on earth is Polson's Nerviline, 25c bottles sold everywhere.

### Railway Fined For Working on Sunday.

Claresholm, Alta., May 22.—In a prosecution under the Lord's Day act before Justices of the Peace McDonnell and Risk today at Claresholm, the C. P. R. was fined $200 with costs for an infraction of the Lord's Day act by having allowed work to go on in the way of shunting freight on Sunday. No appearance was made for the company, and it is understood the case will be appealed.

Piles get quick and certain relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Please note it is made alone for Piles, and its action is positive and certain. Itching, painful, protruding or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Large nickel-capped glass jars 50 cents. Sold by Lacombe Drug Co.

### Struck for Beer.

Paterson, N. J., May 21.—Because they have been denied the privilege of bringing beer into the shops during working hours and also because the company refused their demand that George Browne, a foreman, be removed two hundred men walked out of the Rogers Locomotive Works of the American Locomotive Company here today.

### World Wide Articles.

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## CHRONIC CATARRH NOSE AND THROAT

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MR. RAOUL PILON, 116 Rue Notre Dame, Lachine, P.Q., Can., writes: "I write you a few words to express to you my satisfaction at being cured. I was afflicted with catarrh of the throat and nose and suffered much. I was greatly discouraged. I had a bad breath and bad taste in my mouth in the morning.

"I took treatment for some time without obtaining relief. At the advice of friends I tried Peruna and the results have been highly satisfactory. At the end of four months I was completely cured."

Neglected catarrh becomes chronic. Having developed into the chronic stage, a longer and more persistent treatment will be required to cure it than if the disease were treated at the onset.

However, Peruna will bring relief, whether the catarrh is acute or chronic. If you are wise you will keep Peruna on hand and take a few doses at the first appearance of a cold or cough, and thus save yourself both suffering and expense.

Patients have the privilege of writing to Dr. Hartman for free advice. A book on "Chronic Catarrh" will be sent upon request.


### Hot Air

Sandy Pikes—Lady, if yer can't give me nothin' to eat, please give me de part of yer noospaper dat has de news from congress.

Kind Lady—But my poor man, why should you wish to read the news from Congress?

Sandy Pikes—Because, Mum, I contains so much hot air I ken keep warm in de blizzard.—Chicago News.


### SPRING ADVICE

**Do Not Dose with Purgatives and Weakening Medicines—What People Need at This Season Is a Tonic**

Not exactly sick—but not feeling quite well. That's the spring feeling. You are easily tired, appetite variable, sometimes headaches and a feeling of depression. Or perhaps pimples and eruptions appear on the face, or you have twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia. Any of these indicate that the blood is out of order, that the indoor life of winter has left its mark upon you and may easily develop into more serious trouble. Don't dose yourself with purgative medicines in the hope that you can put your blood right. Purgatives gallop through the system, and weaken instead of giving strength. What you need is a tonic medicine that will make new, rich, red blood, build up the weakened nerves and thus give you new health and strength. And the one medicine to do this speedily and surely is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Every dose of this medicine makes new, rich blood which makes weak, easily tired and ailing men and women feel bright, active and strong. If you need a medicine this spring try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and you will never regret it. This medicine has cured thousands in every part of the world and what it has done for others it can easily do for you.

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### A Glimmering of Reason

It is the business of this country to keep on friendly terms with all other nations, England included, so far as this is possible. But it is not the part of statesmanship to infer that the British spokesman (Ambassador Bryce) must necessarily see everything with American eyes or prefer the Stars and Stripes to the Union Jack.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

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## RUNNING UPSTAIRS.

**It Causes an Excessive and Injurious Strain on the System.**

Every one knows that the ascent of a staircase is more fatiguing than ordinary walking. In walking progression is effected by a succession of lifts, inclinations and swings.

In starting the body is lifted, for example, by the levers of the right foot and is inclined forward. The left foot being then raised from the ground, the leg swings forward and is carried by its momentum beyond the right foot.

The levers of the left foot now lift the body again, and the right leg swings forward, and so the body oscillates along on a pair of pendulums. Short pendulums vibrate more quickly than long ones, and therefore short legged people step quicker than long legged people, though with no more sense of exertion.

In going upstairs the mechanism of progression is of course the same, but the lifting action, which is the real force consuming part of the process, is now greatly increased.

Instead of being just sufficient to admit of the free swing of the pendulum foot it must be so great as to project the body up at each step a distance equal to the height of the stair.

Running upstairs is thus an excessive strain upon the constitution, but where does this strain fall? The levers of motion are moved immediately by the muscles, but the muscles cannot act of themselves.

Their contractions and relaxations take place only under stimulus. They are all connected by lines of force, called nerves, with the nervous centers, and these are the sources of muscular stimulation.

Not that the nerve force of the brain is conveyed into the mechanical movement of progression, but nerve force is constantly drawn upon to maintain the action of the muscles, and this draft is always greatest where there is a sense of exertion.

When nerve vigor is high, the evil result of running upstairs may not be decidedly felt, but where there is debility of any of the processes this strain cannot fail to tell in some form or other with injurious effect.


## SOME NEW YORK FIRSTS.

The first schoolmaster was Adam Roelandson, appointed in 1633.

The first graveyard was laid out in 1633 on the west of what is now Broadway, above Morris street.

The first farm, called "the company's farm," was laid out in 1633. It extended from what is now Hudson to Wall street.

The first clergyman was Dominie Bogardus, for whom a church was built in 1633. This was the first real church building in New York.

The first artist was Dirk Hermans, a Dutch officer, who made a sketch of New Amsterdam in 1635, which was afterward engraved in Holland.

The first mode of public punishment was the whipping post, set up in 1635. Upon this offenders were hoisted by the waist and suspended for such length of time as their offense called for.

### When the World Was a Cube.

There was a time, centuries since, of course, when the learned men of the world really taught that the world was a square, not merely flat, but that it was a cube. The primitive geographers of Egypt, Assyria and China all taught that the world was a "square plane," evidence of which may be found on thousands of ancient monuments in the countries mentioned, as well as in their ancient manuscripts, upon their inscribed tablets of clay and other early literary remains. One of the most curious discoveries ever made in Central America concerning Toltec beliefs, symbols, etc., is that they also had a similar idea concerning the form of what we now speak of as the "globe." A writer on the discoveries made among the monumental ruins of that country says, "They (meaning the Peruvians, Toltecs and Quiches) believe the world to be a cube, suspended from the heavens by cords of gold fastened to each of its corners."

### The Aesthete.

Occasionally the Fairlight drawing room supplied a specimen of the aesthete as Du Maurier was then drawing him in Punch. His dress was a complete suit of black velvet and salmon colored stockings. He joined the shooting party, but he generally fell down when the gun went off. That, however, did not prevent his charming the ladies. "You do not look well, Mr. Maudle," said one of these. "Thanks; I do not ill, only tired. The fact is I picked a primrose in the wood yesterday. It seemed sick, and I have been sitting up all night with it."—From M. Escott's "Country Houses."

### Birds' Nest Candy.

An American resident of Shanghai sent home recently an advertisement of birds' nest candy printed in English by the manufacturers. The odd screed ran like this: The Candy of the Birds' Nest —Our Candy is prepared of Birds' nest which was famous in all the countries. We made it used with Engines to take the dirty away and then put it into Sugar; there is a great of sweetness, fragrance and whiteness. Every old and young one ought to eat, for it can strong.—Exchange.

### Cheers and Coin.

"Your speech elicited great applause," said the friend.

"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum, "it's remarkable to see how easy it is to elicit three cheers from a man who wouldn't give $3 to the campaign fund."—Washington Post.


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### A Dry Country.

In southern Egypt there is no dewfall and sometimes only twenty minutes of rain for a whole year.

### Denver.

Denver was named after James W. Denver, an ex-governor of Kansas. Denver is situated on the sites of two towns, St. Charles and Aurora, which were consolidated in 1860 and the new name adopted.

### Insects' Eggs.

No parental care ever falls to the lot of a single member of the insect tribe. In general, the eggs of an insect are destined to be hatched long after the parents are dead.

### Petrarch.

Petrarch spent his crazy life penning sonnets to the eyebrows of a portly married woman, the mother of a large family, while he utterly neglected his legitimate wife and would not permit his daughter to live under his roof.

### First Newspapers.

France published the first newspaper in 1605. The first English newspaper appeared in 1622.

### Meat For Dogs.

The coarser parts of meat are much better for dog pets than the better part of the steak. A dog should not be allowed to eat chicken or mutton chops, as the bones of both splinter and are bad for him.

### Useless Tusks.

The curious pigtike animal known as the babirussa has most remarkable tusks, which have long perplexed all students of animal life. As far as can be discovered, these tusks are useless to their owner. On the other hand, by collecting tufts of straw, grass and litter of all kinds, they seem to be an intolerable nuisance.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

### A Chinese Decoration.

The highest rank of Chinese mandarins sport umbrellas of red silk with three flounces.

### When Spectacles Were Rare.

Spectacles were fashionable in the sixteenth century. They were costly, the usual price being an equivalent of $5. It was believed that the larger the lenses and the heavier the rims the greater the dignity added to the wearer's appearance.

### Crayons.

Crayons are made of a fine paste of chalk or pipe clay, colored with pigments and consolidated with gum or wax.

### Lake Erie.

Lake Erie was named by the Iroquois Erike, from a fierce tribe living on its shores. The French call it Raccoon lake, and on various old maps it appears as Lac de Conty, Lac Herde, Lac Erie, Lac Erocoise or Erie.

### Fixing Up Trouble.

An able astrologer who reads the stars with the same ease and earnestness that a small boy peruses a dime novel has picked out a list of twenty-four cities that he is going to have destroyed in the next two years if they don't mend their ways.

There was a time when a man issuing a prediction like that in an impressive tone of voice could make quite a hit, and if he had a good business head he could gather a following about him and have them paying him money. Then he could burn a few sticks of wood, make some incantations and have the catastrophy postponed from time to time, while more people gathered about him and paid him more money.

Those days are over. We have become so hard and practical that we now ask the prophet to show us, and as it is impossible for him to do that we agree to wait to see and let him keep on earning his living sawing wood. This is the wrong age for the prophet.

### Valuable Acquaintance.

"There is the man yonder who wrote the encyclopedia."

"Do you know him?"

"Yes; very well."

"Introduce me. I want to invite him to my house and let the children ask him all the questions they can think of."


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### Lalande and Neptune.

The astronomer Lalande narrowly escaped being made famous by a discovery. He accidentally struck Neptune with his glass on May 8, 1795, but supposed it was a star. He put it down in his notebook as a star and recorded its exact situation. Two days later he struck it once more and made a record of it. But when he looked over his notes he found he had it down as being in two different places, and as a star cannot move in forty-eight hours he supposed he had made a mistake in one of his notes. If he had used his mind a little less mechanically, he easily might have been a Columbus.

### Postage Stamps.

It is often desired to separate postage stamps that are stuck together without destroying the gum. This can be done by dipping the stamps in water for a few seconds only, shaking off the excess of water and heating with a match as much as possible without burning. The heat expands the water between the stamps and separates them, so that they can be easily pulled apart and are ready for use.

### Uncountable.

Tourist (to boy fishing)—How many fish have you caught? Boy—Oh, I couldn't count 'em! Tourist—Why, you haven't caught any, you little vagabond! Boy—That's why I can't count 'em!

### A Similarity.

Star Boarder—There's something wrong with the coffee. Boarding Mistress—Yes, it's like you—slow about filling.

### They Have the Grand Manner.

"You have a distinguished company," remarked old MacSnobbish, who was the first to make his appearance at a select dinner given by his city friend.

"Distinguished!" said the host. "They are the waiters. Very few of the guests have arrived."—Tit-Bits.


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### Untrustworthy

Mistress—Why don't you boil the eggs?

Cook—Sure, I've no clock in the kitchen to go by.

Mistress—Oh, yes, you have.

Cook—What good is it? It's ten minutes fast.—Philadelphia Inquirer.


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# The Fourth Lady In Waiting.

By EDITH J. HULBERT.

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"A herald from his imperial majesty the czar of Russia!"

There was a flare of trumpets, an eager swaying of the lines of courtiers, a soft ripple of laughter and then silence.

Before me stretched an interminable path of red velvet, flanked on either side by rows of smirking, bowing creatures clad in rainbow hued satins, velvets and glittering with jewels. At the farther end, on a throne of ivory and gold, sat a regal, white robed woman, crowned and girdled with diamonds. Behind her stood two dusky giants majestically waving fans of peacock feathers. At her feet knelt two tiny pages attired in blue and silver.

She was the queen of Bodslva and one of the most beautiful women in the world. I was a nobody. It was my province to deliver into her royal hand the scroll intrusted to my keeping by my gracious master. For weeks I had been looking forward to this audience with feverish eagerness. But now, at the crucial moment, when grace of bearing and fluency of speech would perhaps serve to win me a smile from those perfect lips, I stood gaping like a clown in the midst of her lackeys.

My feet refused to move, my knees trembled, the scroll in my hand shook, my tongue clove to the roof of my mouth. There was a muffled giggle on my right. Then a clear, exquisitely modulated voice smote the air like the notes of a golden harp.

"Methinks," said the queen, flashing laughter from her violet eyes, "that the messenger of our fair cousin, the czar, is unduly overawed by our presence. Be not afraid to approach, Sir Herald. We are quite harmless."

Again came that subdued giggle, all the more maddening that it had about it a baffling familiarity, but at a frown from the queen it was quickly suppressed.

Summoning all my will power, I plunged desperately forward and in a moment was kneeling at the foot of the throne between the two pages.

"The humble as well as the great, your majesty," I faltered, "are overcome by the spell of beauty."

She smiled and, indicating by a gesture that I was to rise, took the scroll and, unrolling it, hastily scanned its contents.

A change, swift and terrible, came over her countenance. Her eyes flashed. Her cheeks paled. Her lips straightened to a scarlet line. Tearing the parchment thrice across, she cast it at my feet and hissed in a low tone of concentrated fury: "That, varlet, is my answer to your master! See that you deliver it to him with all possible haste! Out of my sight! Begone!"

Then again her wonderful voice rang out in all its clearness.

"Men of Bodslva," she said, "never while Sylvia lives shall you bend your neck beneath the yoke of the Russian tyrant!"

"Long live Queen Sylvia!" shouted the courtiers. And from somewhere in the distance came the sounds of tumultuous applause—clapping, stamping and cries of "Brava! Brava!"

Mechanically I backed down the red velvet path, unheeding the hisses and black looks which beset me on either side, and presently found myself in a small anteroom, the walls of which were hung with doublets, hose, cloaks, plumed hats and various articles of armor. Almost immediately I was confronted by a tall, thin, flashily dressed man, who eyed me with an expression of extreme disfavor.

"See here," he said. "We don't want supers in this company to forget their cues and occupy the center of the stage for ten minutes, and we don't want any lines thrown in either. The man who wrote that play can attend to that."

"But," I stammered, "the queen—Miss Elsworth—said something to me that wasn't in"—

"What's that to you?" he interrupted sarcastically. "You're not a star just yet, are you? Who are you, anyway? One of them young chaps from the college, ain't you?"

I nodded.

"First time on?"

Again I nodded. He shrugged his shoulders.

"Well, I won't report you if you look sharp for the rest of the performance. Luckily for you the boss is away tonight. What are you doing it for, anyway? Stage struck or Elsworth struck?"

I did not deign to answer, and, with a derisive guffaw, he went out, slamming the door behind him.

I had been alone scarcely a minute when that irritating giggle again fell upon my ears.

"Who's there?" I cried, flinging open the door and peering into the dimly lighted corridor.

"Sh! Go back!" whispered a feminine voice. And as I obeyed its command the doorway framed a petite golden haired damsel, resplendent in pink satin and a court train.

I seized her hands and drew her to the center of the room under the electric light.

"Elfrida!" I gasped. "What are you doing here?"

She dropped me a stately courtesy.

"The Countess Olga, fourth lady in waiting to her majesty Queen Sylvia, at your service," she said, with dignity. Then she giggled and blushed.

"It was you, then, who kept laughing all the time I was on the stage," I said reproachfully.

Elfrida looked penitent.

"It was mean of me," she admitted. "But you did look so funny!" She giggled again at the recollection.

I made no reply in words, but I let her see that I forgave her.

"Where did you come from? How did you get here? Why haven't you written to me in all these weeks?" I asked as soon as I felt sure she thoroughly understood my mental attitude regarding her.

"Miss Brenner's, New Haven. Skipped with the show Saturday night. Couldn't write. Watched every minute," she answered with unwomanly lucidity and brevity.

Elfrida always was different from other girls. This was why I made such a fool of myself over her last summer after my junior year that the governor was afraid I never would stand for the senior grind at Harvard. If he had remembered that I was on the crew, he wouldn't have been so scared. "I could not love thee, dear, so much loved I not honor more," I had quoted solemnly to Elfrida the night we said goodby.

That was why she was packed off to that beast of a Brenner when she should have been queening it in Albany society. She was so original that when there was no immediate danger of her eloping with me her father was afraid that she might take up slumming or typing or insist on going to the Philippines to nurse the soldiers. Brenner had doubtless been apprised of these contingencies, but apparently the possibility of Elfrida succumbing to the ordinary schoolgirl variety of stage fever had occurred to no one.

Consequently with her power of resource it was mere child's play for her to "break jail," as she expressed it, during the relaxed vigilance of the Saturday evening recreation hour and subsequently to coax her way to the manager's presence. As far as he was concerned, to see was to engage. Did I mention that Elfrida was a ripping, tearing beauty? Well, such is the case, and she confided to me that she was paying for her own costumes.

"You must go back at once," I said sternly as soon as we had compared notes on the numerous exciting events which had occurred since our parting.

"And give up earning my own living," demanded Elfrida indignantly, "just when I have proved how easily I can do it?"

"You've only been at it two days," I remarked, "and as it is the 4th of the month I suppose you still have most of your allowance."

Instantly I saw my mistake. Elfrida turned her back on me, and for fully two minutes every one of my usual methods of effecting a reconciliation failed utterly. At length a brilliant idea came to me.

"If you will leave the company tonight, I will," I said in the tone of one making the sacrifice of a lifetime.

Elfrida displayed signs of interest. She didn't of course know that my engagement, like that of a dozen other fellows, who were members of the queen's guard, was only for the current week.

"You are willing, then, to forego the pursuit of the queen?" inquired Elfrida, quoting from the play with mock intensity. I detected, however, an undercurrent of real anxiety in her voice and hastened to reassure her.

"Anything that I gave up for your sake would be the next moment forgotten," I replied dramatically.

She allowed me to kiss her.

"I will do it," she said after a moment's deliberation. "But we will both have to forfeit our salaries."

I glanced at the clock. It was quarter after 9, and I knew by the noise outside that the first act was just over. Seizing the fourth lady in waiting unceremoniously by the arm, I hurried her down the corridor to the ladies' dressing room.

"Borrow a long dark coat if you haven't got one," I whispered, "and pin that flounce under it. I will have a cab here in five minutes, and you can get the 9:40 for New Haven."

She obeyed my directions, and twenty minutes later I stood alone on the station platform disconsolately watching the rapidly disappearing train that was bearing her Brennerwards.

I got back in time for the third act all right, but I didn't succeed in meeting Miss Elsworth after the performance, nor any other time, for that matter, for I kept my promise and quit that night.

In this case, however, virtue met with a substantial reward, for when the episode came to the ears of my father and of Elfrida's they were so impressed by my masterly handling of the situation that they permitted our engagement to be announced.

### French School Meals.

In some of the rural districts of France every boy or girl takes to school in the morning a handful of vegetables and puts them in a large pan of water. They are then washed by one of the other pupils, who take turns at performing this duty. Later the vegetables are placed in a kettle with water and a piece of pork and are cooked while the lessons are going on. At 11:30 each scholar has a bowl of hot soup. To cover the cost of fuel and meat the richer pupils pay a small sum each month.

### Both Seeing It.

"Mr. Gagsl Mr. Gagsl" exclaimed the musical director, stopping the orchestra in the middle of the low comedian's song. "You're miles ahead of the time." "Eh, what?" jerked out the merchant of comedy. "Well, you're beating it too!"—Ally Sloper.

### Wonderful!

Two years ago Zip swallowed a grain of wheat. Last Thursday night at the log rolling he had a fit of coughing and coughed up a fifty pound sack of flour and about 700 pounds of bran. Truth is mighty and will prevail.—Gold Beach (Ore.) Gazette.

## WOMAN'S WORLD

## MRS. DANIEL LOTHROP.

**Founder of the Society of Children of the American Revolution.**

Mrs. Daniel Lothrop, who under the pen name of Margaret Sidney is widely known as the author of many books for children, is intensely interested in the little ones. Mrs. Lothrop's maiden name was Harriet Mulford Stone. She was born in New Haven.

It was Mrs. Lothrop who first perceived the assistance which would be derived for the furthering of the elevating spirit of love of country by the establishing of a society to be composed entirely of juveniles. With her

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usual energy and industry she contrived and arranged the preliminaries for the establishment of the National Society of the Children of the American Revolution, of which she was the founder and first president.

As a correction for the tendency or the danger of spoiling American children Mrs. Lothrop once published in a symposium the following suggestions:

"First.—The old fashioned respect for parents and for God should be revived.

"Second.—There should be an amendment introduced to the resolution that appears to have been adopted largely that the Sabbath was made for man to make a worse day out of it than out of the other six.

"Third.—That ill doing should be execrated and punished.

"Fourth.—That American children should always hear from American citizens expressions of loyalty to their country, which their lives bear out.

"Fifth.—That American children should be bred to the idea that next to disowning one's country is the aping of manners and customs observed by other nations."—Boston Globe.

### Living and Dining Room in One.

If any one chooses to have his living room and his dining room in one, he has only to make up his mind to it and then look about to see how it may be done without first showing elegance and comfort to the door.

The only absolute requisites for such an arrangement are a large room and proximity to the kitchen. There must be room enough to leave the field clear for setting the table, and this there never will be if there is room for only one table, which must serve the family for all its needs.

Such is the unconscious perversity of human nature that so sure as there is but one table the children will get their books or their toys on it or the husband will get out his writing or spread out a map for reference as near as possible to the dinner hour.

The best plan probably is to have either a table reserved exclusively for eating from or else a table that is only a table while it is wanted.

In one house is a table twelve feet, perhaps fifteen feet, long. And this offers a spacious field for all household forces. It is modeled after the Jacobean design. The cloth often is laid at one end of it and dinner served without obliging those who have been working along its generous length to strike their tents and retreat with bag and baggage or soup and scuppage.

This, however, scarcely might be a good thing to do as an everyday thing. One advantage in having a dining room separate from the living room is that the household gets variety and unbends from the too stiff stretched cord of daily work. But in this particular instance the big room in which the table stood was little used during the day and only at night became the great center of the family gathering. Certainly it was a pleasant rallying ground and the scene of much hospitable intercourse and cheer.—Washington Star.

### The Picture Problem.

According to "A Bachelor's Cupboard," pictures should never be hung so high that it becomes necessary to mount a chair in order to see them. Hang them so the center will be on a level with the line of vision of the person of average height, or about five and one-half feet from the floor. Every one must consult his own taste as to the grouping of pictures. In hanging pictures the study in hand should be looked over and a general scheme decided upon.

Oil paintings and water colors should never be allowed to become intimate companions, but the latter may look well with photogs, pastels, drawings, photogravures and even engravings without losing their dignity. An oil painting of exceptional excellence should be given a special position.

Water colors and pastels in delicate tints and black and white and soft etchings should properly be placed in wall spaces where the light is strongest. The darker and more heavily shaded pictures should hang farther away from the light. From the faintly colored pictures in the clearest light the glance should be involuntarily but skillfully led to the deeper toned pictures farther back in the room.

Sometimes, however, a dark corner that needs brightening may demand a lighter picture or a spot of brilliant coloring may be risked. A pen and ink sketch with white mat dills in well in such a case. Harmony must be studied and the position of a picture well considered before its place is decided. One with broad white mat should never be hung next to a carbon in a heavy black frame. The eye must be led, not jerked, from one picture to another.

### Wash Lace in Milk.

An almost infallible method of cleansing lace which has been much stained through age or other causes, says a writer in Good Housekeeping, is to stew it in milk. Place the lace in a jar and cover with milk. Then set the jar in a saucepan of water, after the manner of cooking beef tea. An hour or two are usually sufficient. The water in the saucepan will boil, but not so the milk. By allowing the milk to boil the stains would be more firmly fixed than ever. The writer tells of an old piece of brussels which had been lying on a fan for twenty years and was marked with brown stripes. All ordinary treatment had failed to remove the stains, but the lace came out of the hot milk treatment as white as snow and entirely uninjured.

### Canned Foods.

Bright colors should be regarded as a flag of danger in the selection of canned foods, for they invariably indicate artificial coloring. A bright green such as is seen in canned peas and beans, indicates the presence of copper or iron. The brilliant red of catchup and canned tomatoes and fruits usually comes from aniline dye. A bright yellow, such as is found in mustard, extract of lemon and noodles, is also aniline in its origin as a general thing. The abnormally white color of canned corn and other foods indicates bleaching.—What to Eat.

### Brass in a Room.

Brass can make a wonderful difference in a dreary room. A large jardiniere with a plant in it placed in a dark corner will lighten up marvelously. The andirons, too, will give a cheery reflection. Even candlesticks help, and little trays and bowls, be they ever so small. The importance of brass in a sunless room cannot be too strongly emphasized. Mirrors brighten up, and so do pictures with well polished glasses and frames. Remember these little points are too seldom taken into consideration.

### Kitchen Walls.

To clean the kitchen walls first pour some kerosene in a basin, then take a soft cloth and dip it in the kerosene and wash a part of the wall with it, then wring another cloth out of nice hot water and go over the spot just cleaned with kerosene and lastly wipe with a clean dry cloth. You will be surprised at the result. It is the speediest and most satisfactory way of washing painted kitchen or bathroom walls.

### Invisible Patches on Curtains.

Cut a piece of the required size out of an old one, and dip it in starch. Then press it on the curtain with a hot iron, and you will have the defective spot well mended until washing day, for it comes round again. Do not iron your curtains, for ironing breaks the threads. Instead, mangle and shake them out. Any creases which remain will soon disappear when they are hung up.

### Skimming Soup.

Grease may always be skimmed from hot soup with a small piece of ice. This is very useful when making broths for invalids or children for immediate use. The grease hardens immediately when touched by the ice and clings to it long enough to be removed to a cooler basin, when it slips off and the ice may be used again.—Good Housekeeping.

### Don't Slump.

Don't slump. By this is meant a position when sitting in which the back gets bowed and the spine more or less bent. It does not really rest the body, and it brings about a bad figure and worse carriage. So called "easy" chairs help people to slump. A soft cushion should be used to lean against and fill in the natural hollow of the back.

### Repairing a Mirror.

A mixture of three ounces of bismuth, a half ounce each of tin and lead melted together and three ounces of mercury added when the first mixture is cool applied to the back of a looking glass which needs renewing will make it as good as new. Apply with a hare's foot.

### Do not sew too much.

Do not sew too much. Don't embroider too many hours a day. Don't do one thing exclusively and all the time, for this means a strain upon the eyes and headaches.

A plain girl who carries a large line of smiles hasn't much to fear from the pretty girl with the solemn face.

When selecting soup meat, choose meat which has a little fat surrounding it and a cut from the round.

Do not have a house too large for your requirements.

## FORCED RHUBARB.

**Not Exacting in Its Requirements of High Quality.**

The following process for forcing rhubarb given by a Kansas farmer in American Agriculturist is well adapted for securing an early spring crop:

Rhubarb can be forced in a cellar, in a box, even in the kitchen or in well or poorly constructed forcing houses. It is perhaps most commonly forced in low double spanned roughly and cheaply constructed houses. An excavation two to three feet deep may be made and arched over with a roof of boards or logs covered with hay, straw or fodder and the dirt of the excavation thrown over the entire roof. No particular facili-

FORCED RHUBARB.

ties are necessary for ventilation. Unless in a severely cold winter, the house can be heated by use of ordinary heating stoves. In more expensive houses and in case of extreme cold a system of hot water or steam heating would undoubtedly be advisable.

Good, strong two, three or four year old plants are used in forcing. The plants to be used are dug in the fall and, with their adhering soil, left in the field and covered with enough soil to prevent drying out. It is best to leave them there until they have been frozen through. About January, earlier or later, as the case may be, the roots still retaining their soil are brought into the forcing house. They are set or packed close together on the moist dirt floor. Moist soil, preferably a rich one, is filled in about each plant, covering the crown slightly. After they are once thus packed in they may not need watering, but the roots and soil should not be allowed to become dry.

Only strong, vigorous plants will produce the large, thick stalks 18 to 20 inches high. When properly grown, the forcing house product is attractive, of delicate color, tender and of excellent flavor, while the plants have produced this winter crop of leaves they will have become exhausted and are of little or no value.

## TREATING OATS FOR SMUT.

**How to Make Smutty Seed Produce a Clean Crop.**

Along with the increased interest which is being manifested in scientific corn culture and the proper saving and testing of seed greater attention is also being given to the matter of the treatment of the different grain seeds, with a view of checking the damage of various fungous diseases. The loss incurred each year has increased greatly in recent years and is widespread, the per cent. of loss running from 5 to 30 per cent. Treatment with formalin solution is entirely effective in preventing this loss, and the treatment of the seed is not difficult. Within the past year several good machines have been put on the market at about $35, which will treat any kind of small grain effectually at the rate of 100 bushels per day. Such a machine could be bought on shares by several neighbors, so that the individual expense would not be large. Where such an arrangement is not practical a simple and inexpensive yet effective method is to fill a vinegar or kerosene barrel two-thirds full of water, add a pint of 40 per cent formaldehyde (obtainable at any drug store), put oats in a gunny sack, immerse till wet through, take out, allow to drain back into barrel and then spread on granary or barn floor. This treatment should be given about 24 hours before sowing. Smutty seed treated in the above manner will produce a perfectly smut-free crop and will result in increasing the yield from six to eighteen bushels per acre.

### Broken the Record.

In a 60-day test, a Holstein-Friesan cow, owned by W. J. Gillett, of Foud du Lac, Wis., has broken the world's butter record by 40 lbs. The official test shows 5326.1 lbs. of milk and 260.5 lbs. of butter.

The test was continued 64 days, during which period every milking was watched, the quantity of milk weighed and the cream set and tested. The phenomenal yield was such that two separate tests were ordered—the first of 24 hours and the second 48 hours—during which time additional representatives were sent from the experiment station.

The cow was under constant supervision day and night. The best day in milk was 156 lbs. The best day in butter 5.74 lbs.

### When to Plow Land.

The proper time to plow land is when it is just moist enough to break up mellow, neither so wet enough to leave a slick surface where rubbed by the moldboard nor dry enough to break up in large clods, or, as the southern farmer puts it, when the soil has a good season in it. If continued rain follows wet plowing, little harm follows, but hot, dry winds would soon leave only a mass of unmanageable clods. In spring and mid-summer plowing particularly it is of the utmost importance to run the harrow immediately after the plow. This prevents the formation of clods.—W. J. Spillman.

## THE HOG HOUSE.

**Ample Overhead Ventilation Needed to Avoid Swine Fever.**

Too many men who keep hogs pay no attention to the ventilation of their winter quarters, or if they attempt to ventilate at all they do little more than save a few cracks around the bottom through which the cold air can get in, but provide no way for it to get out. Experience has shown that drafts are the prime promoters of colds, which develop into pneumonia and what is generally known as swine fever, says the American Farm World. It is important that the bottom boards of the hog house should be thoroughly well ventilated, and the division between the pens should be treated in the same way.

Ample ventilation should be provided from the top of the house and not by underneath drafts. Who has not seen hogs piled upon each other in cold weather, shivering, fighting to get into a warm place? Under such conditions it is impossible for a hog to put on flesh, and there are nine chances in ten that he will take cold, which may develop into serious lung trouble.

Overhead ventilation is easily secured by leaving an open space of, say, six inches between the top of the outside wall and the roof. An English farmer who has had great success with hogs builds his houses with a section of the wall hung on a swivel pin in the middle which can be easily opened whenever sunlight and air are needed. When the section is released it swings back into an upright position by gravitation.

In order to let the rays of the sun into every part of the building the houses have been laid out north and south, so that by opening the wall shutters on the east side the morning sun is let in and by opening those on the west side the rays of the afternoon sun can penetrate to every part of the house, keeping it sweet and clean.

### Honesty in Selling Stock.

There is no business in the world where reliability and absolute truth is so essential as with a breeder of blooded stock. He knows all about his stock, their strong points and their weak ones. In his sales he can advance the breed or injure it and can help a customer or be his ruin, for his customers are entirely at his mercy. He can be a man or jockey. A breeder should be so honest and upright that a stranger might write him for an animal, telling him the weak points in his own breeding and rest assured that what he received would remedy the defects. A breeder should feel that interest in the success of his favorite breed that would not allow him to ever sell an animal to a customer unless he honestly believed it would be a benefit to him.—C. M. Winslow, Agriculture Breeders' Association.

## THE SWINEHERD

Hogs will not thrive in damp, dirty, drafty quarters, and the man who attempts to raise them for market under these conditions is simply working against himself. He not only loses the greater portion of his feed, but his time and labor as well.

### Condiments at All Times.

Condiments must be provided for the hogs at all times. These are not costly. They consist of wood ashes, soft coal broken into small bits, mortar, rotten wood or anything of that character. Hogs eat these readily, and they are great aids in keeping them in health and consequently in growing rapidly and of fattening quickly. The animals must have some salt, the same as other live stock on the farm.

### Dipping Very Essential.

Dipping hogs is very essential to the health of the animals. It keeps them free of mites and scab diseases, makes them more thrifty and consequently more profitable. Dipping should be done twice each year. It is not a difficult operation after the dipping plant is established.

### Swine Notes.

You can't get the best results by breeding immature animals.

A good sow in perfect health will lose flesh while suckling her pigs.

Even the best bred hogs will push their feet in the trough if they can.

Burn some cobs to a charcoal and give the hogs some now and then. It helps to keep them healthy.

Avoid drafts in the hog house. A hog is susceptible to colds and rheumatism as well as people.

Look out for holes in the bottom of the pen. Hogs are great on the gnawing business. First you know there may be a hole and a broken leg.

A good hog without a pedigree is better than a fair one with it.

The head of the herd at the head of the herd should be changed often. The good brood sows should be retained as long as their usefulness continues.

Breed the sows so they will farrow in groups of, say, five. The pigs may be divided at pleasure then, and fewer sows will be suckling pigs than if the pigs come at different times. Besides, it is almost as easy to look after five sows as one.

Convenience in feeding and watering stock is a thing to be sought for by all. Especially is this true of swine, wherever there is no such feeding and watering, to be done. It is quite a chore to keep the watering troughs free from ice in freezing weather.

Every fine day give the brood sows exercise in the open air. Scatter a little shelled corn on the ground to encourage them to move around.

Fresh clean water should be given to the hogs every day to drink; also a good allowance of roots should be given them daily.

# A Gigantic Trust Out of Business!

**We are not selling International Harvester Co's. goods this season,**
**But**
**"Driving Pirates from the sea is not all there is of commerce.**

Keep your eye on the crowd and follow up, you'll come to the headquarters of The Western Implement Co., where is sold the famous

**Monitor Drill--the highest type of man's genius wrought in steel**

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Because it pays the largest dividend on the amount invested.

Action in the field decides generalship.

After your milking is done in the morning dont't make the little daughter of twelve or fifteen ***miss school*** by staying at home to turn that old cream separator. What is a few dollars invested in ***value received*** compared with the comfort derived from giving your children an education? Remember ***life is fleeting.***

**Buy a Separator that runs by steam--*The* Famous Sharples Turbine.**

You can see one running in our office. It can be turned into a feed cooker as well.

Farmers, get into and stay into the dairy business. Your cream checks are better to pay your bills with than giving your note, and more easily ***obtained*** than ***paying*** your note.

Don't give up the farm. Far better to content yourself there than move into Lacombe where there are so many By-Laws to contend with—webs woven by the brains of the votaries of learning.

We are closing out some Canton brush breaking plows at cost. Also Rock Island gang stubble plows. See us for bargains in all lines, from the Port Huron threshing machinery to a wheelbarrow, buggies, wagons, John Deere plows, Frost & Wood binders and mowers, and the ***Shontz Ideal Giant Mower,***—do not buy till you see it.

# Western Implement Co.

***Jas. McVay, Mgr.*** ***Lacombe, Alta.***


# Local and General.

Hamilton avenue is now putting on metropolitan airs. About midnight Monday night there was a sensational burglar scare on the avenue. A lady discoverd that some one was trying to force an entrance into the house. She immediately telephoned to a near neighbor for help. The neighbor appealed to immediately grabbed his trusty bayonet and started for the scene of action. Getting his eyes on the knight of the jimmy he gave chase but was outfooted and soon lost the scent. The town constable was called out, but the would be burglar was not to be found. We tried to borrow Halpin's engraving outfit to properly illustrate this item but he wasn't feeling neighborly and wouldn't lend it, so our readers will have to picture the chase in their mind's eye as best they can.

### Hospital Fund.

Lacombe, June 6.

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| Int. on Deposits for last 6 months | $10.90 |
| Proceeds of old school organ by D. Ross from Central School Dist | 8.00 |
| | $18.90 |
| Total of May 30 | $812.25 |
| Total cash on hand | $831.15 |
| Amount paid for hospital site | 311.50 |
| Total contributions to date | $1142.65 |

### Births.

BENNETT—At Spruceville, on Wednesday, May 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett, a daughter.

TEES—At Valley City, on Friday, May 31, to Mr. and Mrs. James Tees, a son (stillborn).

BOODE—At Lacombe, on Sunday, June 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boode, a daughter.

### Two and Half Million Trees.

Indian Head, June 3.—The distribution of trees to all points of the west from the Dominion forestry farm was completed Saturday. Some twenty-five hundred bales will have been distributed this season, aggregating a total of two and a half million trees.

### Bentley.

Celebrate Dominion Day at Bentley.

Rev. Edwards is visiting among Church of England people here this week.

The program committee for Bentley's big Dominion Day celebration met Tuesday night and we understand have the program now practically completed. We also understand that the Lacombe Brass Band has been secured for this occasion.

Frank Thorp has put up a summer cottage on his lot at Brownlow's Landing and will reside there during the summer. Contracts have also been let for other cottages on this popular beach.

Bentley will have a big celebration of Dominion Day again this year. There will be trap-shooting; football, baseball and cricket matches; horse races, foot races, dancing, etc. In fact an all around good celebration, such as Bentley always puts up. Program and prize list will be issued later.

### Spring Valley.

Seeding operations are not yet completed.

Miss Harrison and Miss Hannah went to town Saturday and got soaked.

The attendance at Sunday school was smaller than usual last Sabbath.

The sawmill is working full time.

Wm. McDermott is nursing a genuine case of mumps.

The dance on Friday night passed off quietly.

Burt Roe who recently arrived from Sheffield, Eng. is assisting his brother Alf.

C. L. Harrison and A. Thomson left last week to look after their claims east of Stettler.

Mr. Webber arrived home last week after prospecting for a homestead and pre-emption somewhere among the benighted Eskimos.

### Deadly Fireworks.

Winnipeg, June 3.—After suffering the most intense pain little Norman Wellwood Latimer, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest F. Latimer, of Suite 13, Lee Court, died from the effects of eating a foot torpedo such as are sold to children. The child was taken ill last Monday and lingered until Sunday, baffling all the efforts of the doctor.

Hundreds of these torpedoes were used by the children of the city to celebrate Victoria Day and while they are considered harmless as an explosive it has developed that they contain a most dangerous poison and that a small quantity is sufficient to cause death. It was while playing on the veranda of Lee Court at the corner of St. Mary's avenue and Donald street that the child got hold of the torpedoes and evidently mistaking them for candy ate a sufficient quantity to cause fatal results.

The deadly toys are small, red, inoffensive-looking things done up in red colored tissue paper and when placed on a hard surface and stamped on, make a noise like the exploding of bunches of firecrackers. The material which makes them successful as fireworks is phosphorus and this is known to science as a deadly poison, being used in rat poison and other animal destroyers. Its action when taken into the human system is slow but sure and the symptoms are very similar to arsenical poisoning.

The tragedy which robbed Mr. and Mrs. Latimer of their only child, a bright little boy who had enjoyed robust and promising health has revealed an unsuspected source of danger to children, and parents are warned of the poison that lurks in the little red explosives designed for the entertainment of their children.

This is the first instance reported of phosphorus poisoning from the torpedoes and it has drawn attention to the form in which they are manufactured. Looking exactly like some of the candies that are sold by the confectioner it is not extraordinary that they should be mistaken by a very young child for a sweet while the invariable tendency of a child to put everything in its mouth makes them all the more dangerous.


## *For Rent*

**LACOMBE**
**Livery, Feed, Sale & Exchange Stables.**

***Rigs, Harness, Robes, etc. For Sale***

**P. H. Winter.**



## THE Merchants Bank OF CANADA.

HEAD OFFICE, - MONTREAL

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| Capital Paid Up - | $6,000,000 |
| Reserve Fund - - | 3,674,596 |
| Total Assets | 53,000,000 |

A general banking business transacted

Savings Bank Department.

Interest at three per cent per annum allowed on Savings Bank Deposits of $1.00 and upwards. Interest added to principal quarterly.

E. W. McMULLEN, Manager.
Lacombe Branch



## Chamberlain's Remedies.

**Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.**
For Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough. Price 25 cents; large size 50c.

**Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.**
For Bowel Complaints. Price 25 cents.

**Chamberlain's Pain Balm.**
An antiseptic liniment especially valuable for Cuts, Bruises, Sprains and Rheumatism. Price 25 cents; large size 50 cents.

**Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.**
For Disorders of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels. Price 25 cents.

**Every one of these preparations is guaranteed and if not fully satisfactory to the purchaser the money will be refunded.**



## $10 Reward!

Strayed.

One light bay mare, white face, branded pick and shovel on right shoulder. One brown mare branded J C on left shoulder, when last seen had a colt by side. $10 reward for information leading to recovery.

C. E. MIDDTON,
Tees, Alta.


# Province of Alberta

### NOTICE TO STOCK OWNERS.

Notice is hereby given that on and after the First day of July, 1906, the joint office of the Recorders of Brands for the Provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan will be situated at Medicine Hat, Alberta. All communications in connection with brands should after that date be addressed to the Recorder of Brands, Medicine Hat, Alberta.

Money sent in payment of fees should be remitted by postal note, money order or express order made payable to The Recorder of Brands, Medicine Hat. If cheques are sent they must be certified by the bank on which they are drawn and the necessary exchange must be included.

### Recording of Brands In Both Provinces.

Persons ranging cattle in the vicinity of the inter-provincial boundary (the Fourth Meridian) when applying for brands should, in order to protect themselves, also apply for a record of the same in the Province of Saskatchewan, which may be effected on payment of an additional fee of $1.00.

GEO. HARCOURT,
Deputy Minister of Agriculture.
Department of Agriculture,
Provincial Government Offices,
Edmonton, Alta.,

### ESTRAY

On my place, 19-40-2 W. 5, a sorrel ridgeling, branded / on right hip, same on right shoulder, about 9 years old. Owner please call and pay charges and take animal away.

THOS. GRAY.